AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph starting on this line as follows:

Page 2, line 21:

- the engine comprises at least a partial injection delivered during the air intake phase

into the combustion chamber-of or during the first portion of the compression phase, and at least

a partial injection delivered around the high dead center, i.e., at a time interval comprised

between 60 degrees crankshaft before the combustion dead center and about 20 degrees after that

high dead center,

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